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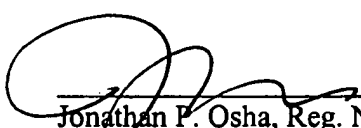
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Please amend figure 1 as shown in the enclosed replacement sheet. The amendment simply corrects a name of an element 110 and also adds an arrow between an element 111 and an element 116. No new matter has been added by this amendment. Applicant submits that the replacement sheet is formal.

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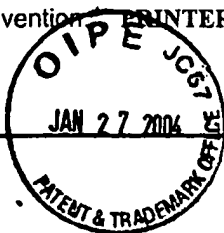
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